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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANTS : REINER FISCHER ET AL.  
SERIAL NO. : 08/470,563  
FILED : June 6, 1995  
FOR : N-ARYL-SUBSTITUTED NITROGEN-CONTAINING  
HETEROCYCLES, PROCESSES AND NOVEL  
INTERMEDIATES FOR THEIR PREPARATION, AND THEIR  
USE AS HERBICIDES AND PLANT GROWTH REGULATORS  
ART UNIT : 1625  
EXAMINER : P. Morris

December 11, 2003

Hon. Commissioner of Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111**

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated June 11, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 29 of this paper.